# **RENTING HOMES (WALES) ACT 2016**

# **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

# **COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS**

## **Part 3 - Provisions Applying to All Occupation Contracts**

### **Chapter 5 - Joint Contract-Holders and Joint Landlords**

#### Schedule 6 - Reasonableness of withholding consent etc.

#### **Part 1 – Introductory**

- 168. Schedule 6 sets out circumstances which must be taken into account, so far as are relevant, for the purpose of determining whether a landlord has acted reasonably in refusing consent or imposing a condition on the grant of consent in various circumstances. The schedule applies only to consents under the following sections:
  - Section 49 Adding a joint contract-holder;
  - Section 57 Permissible forms of dealing (for example, consenting to creating a tenancy or licence, to a transfer of the contract, or to a mortgage, if the contract permits that);
  - Section 114 transfer of secure contract to a potential successor;
  - Section 118 Transfer of secure contract with a community landlord to another secure contract-holder.
- 169. Part 2 sets out circumstances that may be relevant to all of the above consents. Part 3 sets out circumstances that may be relevant to particular transactions.